

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON**

**DEBORAH C. MORRISON,** ) Civil No. 09-5512 KLS  
Plaintiff, )  
vs. )  
**MICHAEL J. ASTRUE, COMMISSIONER** ) **ORDER FOR EAJA FEES**  
**of Social Security,** ) & EXPENSES  
Defendant. )  
NOTE ON MOTION CALENDAR  
September 2, 2010 *without oral argument*

## ORDER

Based upon the Equal Access to Justice Act (EAJA), 28 U.S.C. §2412, and plaintiff's EAJA petition and the assignment of EAJA fees to plaintiff's attorney by plaintiff, it is hereby ORDERED that EAJA attorney's fees of \$5,249.50 and expenses of \$20.55 for a **total of \$5,270.05** shall:

- 1) Be awarded to Plaintiff pursuant to *Astrue v. Ratliff*, \_\_\_ U.S. \_\_\_ (2010) and delivered to plaintiff's counsel, Rosemary B. Schurman; however,
- 2) If the U.S. Department of the Treasury verifies to the Office of General Counsel that Plaintiff does not owe a debt, the government will accept Plaintiff's assignment of EAJA Fees and pay EAJA fees and expenses directly to Rosemary B. Schurman.

Dated this 3rd day of September, 2010.

Karen L. Strombom  
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United States Magistrate Judge

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10 CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

11 I hereby certify that I have electronically filed the foregoing on September 2, 2010 with the Clerk of the  
Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to the following: Philip H.  
12 Lynch, Assistant U.S. Attorney, and Office of General Counsel, SSA.

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